

STATE OF CALIFORNIA—STATE WATER RIGHTS BOARD

License for Diversion and Use of Water

LICENSE...

PERMIT_ Richard L. French and Joan W. French

P. O. Box 678

Notice of Change (Over)

This Is To Certify, That

Kentfield, California

be ve made proof as of August 23, 1963, (the date of inspection) to the satisfaction of the State Water Rights Board of a right to the use of the water of Anderson Creek in Mendocino County

tributery to Navarro River

for the purpose of irrigation use of the State Water Right: Board and that said right to the use of said water has been under Permit perfected in accordance with the laws of California, the Rules and Regulations of the State Water Rights Board and the terms of the said permit; that the priority of the right berein confirmed dates from July 23, 1953 and that the amount of water to which such right is entitled and bereby confirmed, for the purposes aforesaid, is limited to the amount actually beneficially used for said purposes and shall not exceed two-tenths (0.2) cubic foot per second to be diverted from about May 1 to about November 1 of each year.

The equivalent of such continuous flow allowance for any thirty-day period may be diverted in a shorter time if there be no interference with other vested rights.

The point of diversion of such water is located :

North seventy-one degrees eighteen minutes west (N71°18'W) six hundred twenty (620) feet from SE corner of SW of NW of Section 28, TIAN, RIAW, MDB&M, being within SW of NW of said Section 28.

A description of the lands or the place where such water is put to beneficial use is as follows:

- l acre within NW1 of NW1 of Section 28, Tl4N, Rl4W, MDB&M.
- 2 acres within NET of NWT of Section 28, T14N, R14W, MDB&M.
 18 acres within SWT of NWT of Section 28, T14N, R14W, MDB&M.
 10 acres within SET of NWT of Section 28, T14N, R14W, MDB&M.
- 31 acres Total

All rights and privileges under this license including method of diversion, method of use and quantity of water diverted are subject to the continuing authority of the State Water Rights Board in accordance with law and in the interest of the public welfare to prevent waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use or unreasonable method of diversion of said water.

Reports shall be filed promptly by licensee on appropriate forms which will be provided for the purpose from time to time by the State Water Rights Board.

The right hereby confirmed to the diversion and use of water is restricted to the point or points of diversion herein specified and to the lands or place of use herein described.

This license is granted and licensee accepts all rights herein confirmed subject to the following provisions of the Water Code:

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Section 1625. Each license shall be in such form and contain such terms as may be prescribed by the board.

Section 1626. All licenses shall be under the terms and conditions of this division (of the Water Code).

A license shall be effective for such time as the water actually appropriated under it is used for a useful and beneficial purpose in nformity with this division (of the Water Code) but no longer.

Section 1628. Every license shall include the enumeration of conditions therein which in substance shall include all of the provisions of this ticle and the statement that any appropriator of water to whom a license is issued takes the license subject to the conditions therein expressed.

Section 1629. Every licenses, if he accepts a license does so under the conditions precedent that no value whatsorver in excess of the actual amount paid to the State therefor shall at any time be assigned to or claimed for any license granted or issued under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), or for any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), in respect to the registration by any competent public authority of the services or the price of the services or the rendered by any licenses or by the holder of any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code) or in respect to any valuation for purposes of sale to or purchase, whether through condemnation proceedings or otherwise, by the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, ighting district, or any political subdivision of the State, of the rights and property of any licensee, or the possessor of any rights granted, issued, or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1630. At any time after the expiration of twenty years after the granting of a license, the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State shall have the right to purchase the works and property occupied and used under the license and the works built or constructed for the enjoyment of the rights granted under the license.

Section 1631. In the event that the State, or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or political subdivision of the State so desiring to purchase and the owner of the works and property cannot agree upon the purchase price, the price shall be determined in such manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law for determining the value of property taken in eminent domain proceedings.

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Dated:

L. K. Hill

11-19-13

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8-15-95 Cecil R. & Alberta A Self delited

from application Bryant & Relay Whittaker

added to application.

STATE WATER RIGHTS BOARD LICENSE

LICENSE APPROPRIATE WATER

ISSUED TO

STATE OF CALIFORNIA CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

In the Matter of License 7041 (Application 15425)

Bryant Whittaker and Penny Whittaker
And
Joseph B. Zicherman

ORDER ADDING POINT OF DIVERSION, DIRECTING ISSUANCE OF SEPARATE LICENSES AND REVOCATION OF ORIGINAL LICENSE

SOURCE: Anderson Creek

COUNTY: Mendocino

WHEREAS:

- 1. License 7041 was issued to Richard L. French and Joan W. French on November 5, 1964 pursuant to Application 15425 and was recorded with the County Recorder of Mendocino County on November 5, 1964.
- 2. License 7041 was subsequently assigned to Bryant Whittaker and Penny Whittaker for (APN 046-120-19) on November 15, 1999 and Joseph B. Zicherman for (APN 046-120-20) on June 3, 1999.
- 3. A field inspection was conducted of the project area by the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) staff on March 19, 1999. Staff determined that the place of use (POU) is held under separate ownerships and an additional point of diversion was providing water to the POU. Staff recommended a petition for change to add a new point of diversion (POD) within the Whittaker's POU. A Petition for Change to add the new POD was received by the SWRCB on November 18, 1999. The SWRCB determined that the petition for change to add the POD does not constitute the initiation of a new right nor operate to the injury of any other lawful user of water. Public notice of the change was issued on February 2000. Two protests were received and subsequently were resolved.

- 4. A request for issuance of separate licenses to cover licensee's respective use was filed with the SWRCB staff on November 18, 1999 and the SWRCB has determined that good cause for such change has been shown.
- 5. The license term relating to the continuing authority and water quality objectives of the SWRCB should be updated to conform to Section 780(a) & (b), Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations.
- 6. Fish, wildlife, and plant species have been or may be listed under the federal Endangered Species Act and/or the California Endangered Species Act. A term should be placed in the license making the licensee aware of possible obligations resulting from these acts.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT LICENSE 7041 BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

1. The condition of the license regarding the point of diversion be amended to read:

By California Coordinate System of 1927, Zone 2, N 504,584 and E 1,598,642 being within NW¼ of SW¼ of Section 28, T14N, R14W, MDB&M; and, by California Coordinate System of 1927, Zone 2, N 505,212 and E 1,597,942 being within SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 28, T14N, R14W, MDB&M.

2. Separate licenses be issued as follows:

License 7041 is hereby replaced and superseded upon issuance of License 70431A issued to Bryant Whittaker and Penny Whittaker, and License 7041B issued to Joseph B. Zicherman.

4. Separate Licenses be issued as followed:

A. License:

7041A (Application 15425A)

Owner:

Bryant Whittaker and

Penny Whittaker

P.O. Box 305

Boonville, CA 95415

Source:

Anderson Creek tributary to

Navarro River thence Pacific Ocean

Use:

Irrigation

Direct Diversion:

0.07 cubic foot second

Maximum

Amount:

22 acre-feet per second per year

Season:

May 1 to November 1

Point of

Diversion:

California Coordinate System,

Zone 2, North 504,584 and East 1,598,642 being within the NW¼ of SW¼ of Section 28, T14N,

R14W, MDB&M.

Place of Use:

9.5 acres within SE1/4 of NW1/4

1.5 acres within SW1/4 of NW1/4 all within

Section 28, T14N, R14W, MDB&M.

11.0 acres total, as shown on map dated April 24, 1999 with the SWRCB, and identified by County Assessor's

Parcel No. 046-120-19.

B. License:

7041B (Application 15425B)

Owner:

Joseph B. Zicherman c/o Paula Whealen Wagner and Bonsignor Consulting Engineers 444 Third Street, Suite 401 Sacramento, CA 95814

Source:

Anderson Creek tributary to

Navarro River thence Pacific Ocean

Use:

: Irrigation

Direct

Diversion:

0.13 cubic foot per second

Maximum

Amount:

30 acre-feet per second May 1 to November 1

Season: Point of

Diversion:

California Coordinate System,

Zone 2, N 505,212 and E 1,597,942

being within SW1/4 of NW1/4 of Section 28,

T14N, R14W, MDB&M.

Place of Use:

2.5 acres within NW¼ of NW¼

2.0 acres within NE¼ of NW¼ 10.5 acres within SW¼ of NW¼ 5.0 acres within SE¼ of NW¼

all within Section 28, T14N, R14W,

MDB&M.

20 acres total as shown on map dated April 24, 1999 with the SWRCB, and identified by County Assessor's

Parcel No. 046-120-20.

- 4. License 7041 A and 7041B shall contain all other terms and conditions presently in License 7041 or updated terms to reflect for compliance with the SWRCB's policy.
- 5. The following condition shall be added to the License:7041A.
 - (1) In accordance with Section 6100 of the Fish and Game Code, no work shall be started on the diversion works and water shall be diverted under this license has implemented measures to protect fishlife. Such measures shall include fish screens, or other suitable methods for the prevention of entrapment or impingement of fish, which meet National Marine Fisheries Service and the California Department of Fish and Game criteria. License shall provide certification that its proposed screening methods meet these criteria. Certification shall be made by Service or Department personnel, a Licensed Civil Engineer, or other suitable professional. Construction, operation, and maintenance of any required facility are the responsibility of the licensee. If the fish entrapment prevention device(s) is (are) rendered inoperative for any reason all diversion shall ceased until such time as the device(s) is (are) restored to service.
 - (2) In accordance with Section 1601 and/or Section 1603 of the Fish and Game Code, no work shall be started on the diversion works and no water shall be diverted under this license until licensee has entered into a stream or lake alteration with the California Department of Fish and Game. Licensee shall submit a copy of the agreement to the Division of Water Rights within 30 days from the date of the agreement's issuance. Construction, operation, and maintenance necessary to meet the terms of the agreement are the responsibility of the licensee.
- 6. The following conditions shall be added to Licenses 7014A and 2041B:
 - (1) The continuing authority condition, shall be updated to read as follows:

Pursuant to California Water Code sections 100 and 275 and the common law public trust doctrine, all rights and privileges under this license, including method of diversion, method of use, and quantity of water diverted, are subject to the continuing authority of the Board in accordance with law and in the interest of the public welfare to protect public trust uses and to prevent waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use, or unreasonable method of diversion of said water.

The continuing authority of the Board may be exercised by imposing specific requirements over and above those contained in this license with a view to eliminating waste of water and to meeting the reasonable water requirements of licensee without unreasonable draft on the source. Licensee may be required to implement a water conservation plan, features of which may include but not necessarily be limited to: (1) reusing or reclaiming the water allocated; (2) using water reclaimed by another entity instead of all or part of the water allocated; (3) restricting diversions so as to eliminate agricultural tailwater or to reduce return flow; (4) suppressing evaporation losses from water surfaces; (5) controlling phreatophytic growth; and (6) installing, maintaining, and operating efficient water

measuring devices to assure compliance with the quantity limitations of this license and to determine accurately water use as against reasonable water requirement for the authorized project. No action will be taken pursuant to this paragraph unless the Board determines, after notice to affected parties and opportunity for hearing, that such specific requirements are physically and financially feasible and are appropriate to the particular situation.

The continuing authority of the Board also may be exercised by imposing further limitations on the diversion and use of water by the licensee in order to protect public trust uses. No action will be taken pursuant to this paragraph unless the Board determines, after notice to affected parties and opportunity for hearing, that such action is consistent with California Constitution Article X, Section 2; is consistent with the public interest and is necessary to preserve or restore the uses protected by the public trust.

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(2) The water quality objectives condition, shall be updated to read as follows:

The quantity of water diverted under this license is subject to modification by the Board if, after notice to the licensee and an opportunity for hearing, the Board finds that such modification is necessary to meet water quality objectives in water quality control plans which have been or hereafter may be established or modified pursuant to Division 7 of the Water Code. No action will be taken pursuant to this paragraph unless the Board finds that: (1) adequate waste discharge requirements have been prescribed and are in effect with respect to all waste discharges which have any substantial effect upon water quality in the area involved, and (2) the water quality objectives cannot be achieved solely through the control of waste discharges.

(3) The licenses shall be amended to include the following Endangered Species condition:

This license does not authorize any act which results in the taking of a threatened or endangered species or any act which is now prohibited, or becomes prohibited in the future, under either the California Endangered Species Act (Fish and Game Code sections 2050 to 2097) or the federal Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C.A. sections 1531 to 1544). If a "take" will result from any act authorized under this water right, the licensee shall obtain authorization for an incidental take prior to construction or operation of the project. Licensee shall be responsible for meeting all requirements of the applicable Endangered Species Act for the project authorized under this license.

Chief, Division of Water Righ

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Dated:

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STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

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